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State of South Dakota
Statement of Financial Interest
Candidate for Public Office

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1. Name Alan Aker
2. Address 14347 Mahaffey Dr. Piedmont SD 57769
3. Office Sought Commissioner of School & Public Lands
4. What is your occupation/profession? land management

5. List any enterprise which accounted for more than ten percent of, or contributed more than \$2,000 to, your family's (includes spouse, minor children living at home) gross income in the preceding calendar year. Identify who receives the income from each enterprise.

Aker Woods Company - Alan
Nemo Forest, Inc. - Alan
Vantage Contracting, Inc. - Heidi

What is the nature of your immediate family's association with each? The value of the financial interest need not be reported.

stockholder/officer/director
stockholder/officer/director
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6. List any enterprise in which you, your spouse or minor children living at home control more than ten percent of the capital or stock. Identify who has the ownership interest in each enterprise.

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County of Meade) SS.

Verification

I have reviewed paragraphs 1 through 6 of the Information Regarding Statement of Financial Interest (attached), my Statement of Financial Interest and certify that the information reported is a complete, true and accurate representation of my financial interests for the preceding calendar year.

(Signed)

Alan Aker

Sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 2002.

(Seal)

Dorothy Threl

Officer Administering Oath

My commission expires: Dorothy Threl

Notary Public